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## IRISH MARTYRS'

**Beatification of Bishop Plunket Serves to Recall Penal Days.**

**Hundreds Suffered Rather Than Give Up Their Own Faith.**

**How Bishop O'Hurley Suffered Under Queen Elizabeth in 1584.**

**MARTYRS IN THE COUNTY LIMERICK**

The beatification process of the Venerable Oliver Plunket, now going on in Rome, serves to remind the Irish people of the many who suffered martyrdom in the days of the penal laws. In the Irish College at Rome a book was recently discovered belonging to Bishop Plunket. In the fly leaf is written his name. The date is 1669. In the English College at Rome was also found recently an autograph signature of the martyred Archbishop of Cashel, Dermot O'Hurley. He was appointed to the See of Cashel in 1581 by Pope Gregory XIII.

Archbishop O'Hurley was not many months in Ireland before he was, in violation of the laws of hospitality, betrayed by the Baron of Slane, who gave him up to the agents of Dublin Castle on October 1, 1583. He was brought in chains before the Lords Justices Loftus and Wallop, and was several times tortured. At length, in May, 1584, the saintly prelate was submitted to the excruciating method of punishment known as "the boots"—that is, placed in the stocks with his feet and legs in tin boots filled with oil and salt, and a fire kindled beneath. But the Archbishop bore his torture as did the early Christian martyrs, and refused to acknowledge the supremacy of Queen Elizabeth. The hideous details of the tortures are fully set out in the State papers, and must for all time stamp with infamy the names of Loftus and Wallop. Finally the Archbishop was hanged in Stephen's Green, Dublin, on June 30, 1584, obtaining the martyr's crown. His remains were interred in St. Kevin's church.

In the sixteenth century in Limerick the clergy were hunted like wolves, with prices on their heads, and many were slaughtered while offering up the holy sacrifice of the mass. Many instances might be mentioned. In 1539 Brother Robert was the minister of the Trinitarian Convent at Adare, with forty-two members. The King having sent his officials to put new decrees into execution, Brother Robert assembled his associates and all decided to suffer death rather than abjure their faith. They hid away the sacred vessels and ornaments of the altar in various places, so that when the agents of the Government arrived they could not find even a wooden crucifix on which to vent their impious rage. Three times summoned before the Magistrate, Father Robert was immovable in rejecting the honors offered to him by the court and in declaring his devoted attachment to the Catholic faith. None, he said, had ever sought to propagate their religious tenets by the sword except the pagan Emperors in the early ages and Mahomet in later times. As for himself and the community, they were determined that no violence should move them from the principles of truth. They recognized no head of the Catholic church save the Vicar of Christ, and as for the King of England, they regarded him not even as a member of that holy church. "When the venerable father had uttered these words," says Lopez in his *Noticias Historicas*, "a heretical officer drew his sword and with one blow severed the holy man's head from his body. The other agents of the court were at once let loose on the unoffending community. As the public prison was full of other victims, the religious were confined in private houses. There many died of the injuries and maltreatment which they received. Some, too, were murdered secretly, while others were publicly hanged in the market place. It was on February 12 and 13, 1539, that these happy fathers obtained their eternal crown."

Cornelius O'Neill was Bishop of Limerick in 1539. He was provincial of the Convent of Limerick, dedicated to the Holy Cross, his inmates numbering forty-six. The Bishop had been consulted by Henry about a divorce from his lawful wife, Queen Catherine, and gave his opinion firmly in favor of the wife. The King was much angered and declared he would have his revenge. He sent his emissaries and destroyed the Convent of Adare, killing all of the religious. When the Bishop heard of this he assembled the brethren together and announced that he would preach in the Cathedral on the following Sunday. A large congregation assembled. He set before them the grounds of the Catholic faith and the Pope's authority. He declared that the demands of the King were heretical, and that he, his counselors, and all who adhered to him were anathematized; and he concluded by asking from God strength for himself and for all under his care to defend the Catholic faith, even at the peril of their lives. The King's officials were afraid to offer him any violence in the church, "but on the

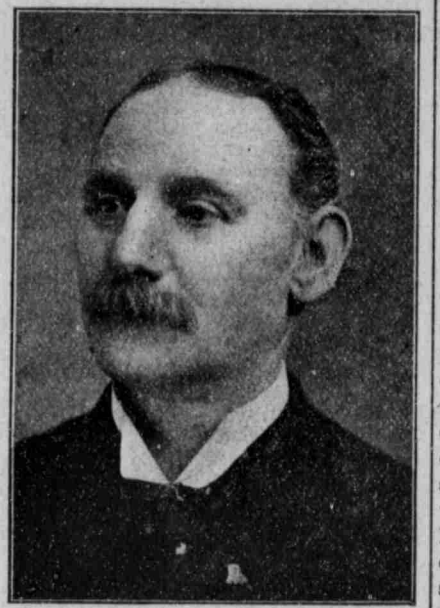
evening of that day," says Lopez, "some of them went to his house, and being admitted, they told him that he should obey the King's order or suffer instant death. Throwing himself on his knees and raising his eyes to heaven, he exclaimed: 'Lord, today I offered to Thee the unbloody sacrifice of the Body of my Lord Jesus Christ. Now accept the sacrifices of my life to Thy greater honor and glory.' And then fixing his eyes on a picture of the Most Holy Trinity, he ejaculated: 'Sancta Trinitas, unus Deus, miserere nobis.'"

A moment after the executioner, with one blow of the sword, severed his head from his body.

## HONOR FOR SCORE.

**Appointed on Law Committee of Catholic Knights of America.**

Supreme Delegate John J. Score, of this city, this week received notice of his appointment on the Law Committee



of the Catholic Knights of America. The committee will meet a week before the national convention, which assemblies in St. Louis on May 9. President Gaudin made a good selection, as Mr. Score has had long experience in the order. For twenty-two years he has been the faithful Secretary of Branch 4, served two terms as State Secretary and five years as Secretary of the Louisville Central Committee. He was also a delegate to the Philadelphia national convention in 1891, and has attended all the Kentucky State Council meetings. Mr. Score will leave for St. Louis the first of next week. The other members are Joseph Berning, Cincinnati; Edward Feeney, Brooklyn; George Repetti, Washington; M. J. E. Hartman, St. Louis; Peter Wallrath, Evansville, and Rev. Father Howlett, Pueblo, Col.

Judge Michael T. Shine, of Covington, will also represent Kentucky at the convention. Judge Shine is one of the oldest as well as ablest members of the order, and his advice and counsel will prove valuable to the convention.

## MILLIONAIRE

**James White, a Louisville Boy, Has Fair Prospects of Becoming One.**

James White, of Butte, Mont., who has been visiting his father, Charles White, 1025 West Jefferson street, and his sister, Mrs. James McKenna, of Fairfield, returned to the West last Sunday. Young White left Louisville eleven years ago and obtained employment with Marcus Daily in the Anaconda copper mines. He is now an expert miner and destined to become a millionaire. After working in the Anaconda mines for several years White took employment with Augustus Hintze and later began prospecting for himself. The result was that he was elected Vice President of a mining company which has a fair prospect about twenty miles from Butte. The company owning this prospect sent him East about three months ago. He has been in Boston and New York since then. He succeeded in getting Eastern capitalists interested, and they will furnish money enough to develop the mines. If the prospect turns out as good as White expects he will be worth a million dollars in a few years. The mine is to be developed at once.

James White is a son of Charles White, the retired builder, and is a very bright young man. His brother, Myles White, is with him in Butte and is Superintendent of construction in one of the large mines. He is also doing well. Mr. White is the second Louisville man who has been successful in mining in the West. James Hackett, the well known distiller, and his associates recently sold their interests in a mine in the West for several hundred thousand dollars in cash and stock.

## PIERPONT MORGAN RECEIVED.

On Saturday last J. Pierpont Morgan, the multi-millionaire, was received in private audience by Pope Pius. Mr. Morgan expressed himself delighted with the visit. The Pope last week also received in private audience the Very Rev. John A. Zahm, of Notre Dame, Ind., Provincial of the Congregation of the Holy Cross in the United States, who presented an offering of \$1,000 for the University of Notre Dame. The Pontiff admired some photographs of the University of Notre Dame and wrote at the bottom in Latin his apostolic benediction to the professors and students.

## EASTER IN COUNTRY.

**How Catholics of Pewee Valley and Missions Observed the Day.**

Our well informed Pewee Valley correspondent sends the following interesting letter about the observance of Easter and also other information about the district known as the Pewee Valley missions, including Eminence:

Easter came upon us with a wealth of glory and sunshine. Up hill and down dale the Easter bells sang forth their joyful alleluias. The usual Lenten exercises were held at both Pewee Valley and Eminence. Every Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock the Stations of the Cross were said at the latter place and at 7:30 the same day at the former. At both places the exercises were well attended by Catholics and non-Catholics. Many and great were the preparations at Eminence and Pewee Valley to celebrate Easter in a befitting manner. The altars in both churches were handsomely decorated with choice cut and pot flowers, but above all the numbers at holy communion showed that these good people prepared the sanctuary of their hearts in an especial manner to receive their Risen Lord. It being the fourth Sunday the reverend pastor was obliged to be at Eminence, where he sang a high mass, followed by benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. A Passionist father, Rev. H. Francis, kindly supplied the place of the pastor at Pewee Valley. The Pewee Valley congregation greatly appreciated the kindness of their pastor in securing a priest to say mass for them, otherwise they would have been without mass on that great day. In fact, throughout the missions the people of the five churches and stations have shown in a substantial way their appreciation of what is being done for them. The Ladies' Aid Society at Pewee Valley donated two fine altar linens, handsomely worked by Miss Lon Foley; also a magnificent altar cloth was given to Rev. Father Boes by the Misses Mary and Lizzie Abell, of Lebanon. The Altar Society at Eminence donated a fine lace alb to the church at that place; a beautiful cope given by Frank Buttner and Mrs. Johnson; two handsome vestments, a purple one by Mrs. Thomas Curley and a black one by Mr. Peter Rapp. Rev. Father Boes also received a lace alb and cincture and linen for an altar cloth for the Lagrange church, which is being handsomely worked by the Misses Sauer, of Lagrange, who also donated a beautiful black vestment in memory of their deceased mother. The far-off lonely church of Gest was also the recipient of an alb and cincture, and the beautiful but lonely church of Bedford, Trimble county, is sadly in need of an altar cloth, but it is hoped this needful article will also soon be supplied. May the Risen Lord bless all those who so generously helped to beautify the sanctuary of the Lord.

## GOOD COMBINATION.

**Divisions 2 and 4, A. O. H., Will Probably Picnic Together.**

Division 4 of the Ancient Order of Hibernians held its regular second monthly meeting in the Hopkins Theater building Wednesday evening and paved the way for good attendances in the future by assessing fines against those members who did not attend one of the two April meetings. R. J. Griffin, one of the division's new members, was reported laid up, having been injured in a street car accident. A communication was received from the County Board stating that the order as a whole would not give a picnic or field day. This news was entirely welcome to Division 4, as they had contemplated giving an affair of that kind on their own responsibility. After due deliberation it was decided to invite Division 2 to co-operate with Division 4 in giving a picnic, and John J. Barry, William J. Connelly and Joseph P. McGinn were appointed to visit the next meeting of Division 2 with that proposition. It will probably be accepted, as there is a sort of fellow-feeling between those divisions and they have always worked together well in harness.

Ex-State Secretary Meahan, who has just returned from Paris, Mo., was warmly received by all of his old friends in the division, and gave an interesting description of his sojourn in the Western country. Edward Joyce, who just returned from a trip to Ireland, made a short talk on his travels, praising the beauty of "the little green isle o'er the sea."

## BOYS GAVE GOOD SHOW.

The minstrels given Tuesday and Thursday nights by the Chesterfield Club of Trinity Council amused and pleased large audiences, so much so that the boys have received numerous requests to repeat their performance at Macaulay's or Hopkins' Theater. The vocal selections were excellently rendered and the club swinging of John and Cora Ford was a surprise to the audience. Richard Hill, Parrell Barrett, J. J. Flynn and Christopher Leahy made a big hit with their "Haunted House," and the comedy work of Lawrence Worland, Frank Pilon, A. J. Schwaers and A. J. Pilon produced roars of laughter. Manager Leo Worland deserves much credit for the manner in which the performance was conducted.

## NOMINEES.

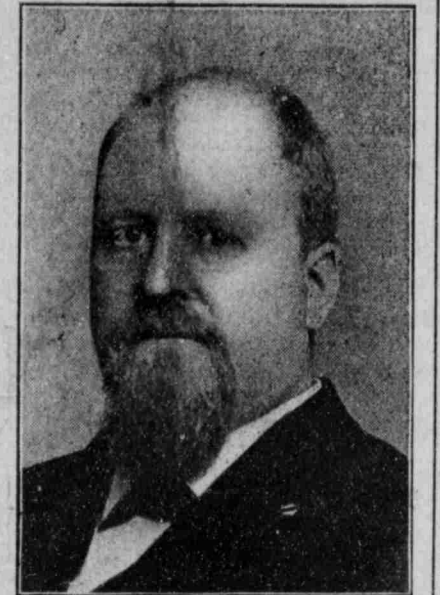
**A Splendid Democratic Ticket Placed in the Field For November.**

**Paul C. Barth Nominated For Mayor Without Any Opposition.**

**Some Spirited Contests, But Defeated Ones Will Support Ticket.**

## NOW FOR VICTORY IN NOVEMBER

The primary election to nominate candidates for city and county offices held under the Carroll law last Tuesday passed



JUDGE JOHN M. C. CANN. Democrat Whom People Love and Honor for His Worth and Integrity.

off quietly and a large vote was polled. On the eve of the election Laban Phelps withdrew from the race for Mayor, leaving a clear field to Paul C. Barth. James B. Brown withdrew from the race for Sheriff and Magistrate Fegenbush from the race for County Assessor. The withdrawal of these three popular men of course had the effect of making the primary less spirited than it ordinarily would have been had they remained in the race.

The principal contests were for the offices of City Auditor, Clerk of Police Court, County Judge, County Assessor and County Superintendent of Public Schools. The closest race was between Magistrate John M. Adams and P. S. Ray for County Assessor, the former receiving a majority of 913 votes. Judge Charles Wilson received 14,822 votes and James J. Fitzgerald 4,059 votes for County Judge. Lyne G. Herndon received 9,399 votes for City Auditor and Charles Neumeier, the incumbent, 6,198 votes. Robert C. Gray received 4,269 votes and Alf V. Oldham 12,175 votes for Clerk of the Police Court.

Another spirited race was that between Albert Charlton and D. H. Russell for Senator. Russell made a good fight, but as Charlton had been organizing for a year, he had the advantage and won the race. Russell shows the kind of man he is in an interview after the election. He said he thanked his friends for their support, and that he would help elect Charlton and the entire ticket. James J. Fitzgerald, in an interview after the primary, said: "I am for the straight Democratic ticket. I am a Democrat and will support its nominees."

Judge John McCann, who has held office continuously for thirty years, received an overwhelming vote for Judge of the Police Court, though he had no opposition. Judge McCann's record is beyond that of any other Democrat in this city or State. Advancing from the foundry to Constable, then to Magistrate, and later to the bench of the City Court, he has filled these offices with signal ability, and as Judge he has displayed a knowledge of human nature that has caused him to be looked upon with terror by evil-doers, but in the treatment of the poor unfortunate and fallen he tempers justice with mercy, and many there are who owe to him their reformation and redemption from the road that leads to ruin and worse. Emmet Slattery, the rising young attorney, made a runaway race for the Legislature, as we predicted. In him Louisville will have a representative that will safeguard her best interests while legislating for the advancement of the entire State. Democrats from Fifth street to the western limits of the city are elated over the nomination of Edward O'Connor and Patrick Sullivan for Magistrates and Bud Moran and Joe Neilligan for Constables. Though all had strong opposition they won by handsome majorities, which will be largely increased next November.

The ticket is a good one and the Democrats of Louisville and Jeffersonville are confident of electing it in November. The defeated candidates and their friends will all be in line by that time, and with a united party victory is certain.

## DOES SUNDAY.

Thomas Queenan, one of the best known men on Main street, leaves tomorrow to become Superintendent of the woolen mill at Jackson, Tenn., the largest in the South. His numerous friends here regret his departure, but wish him great success in his new field.

## FOR WOMAN'S EYE.

**Latest Things Found in Louisville Dry Goods Stores For Summer.**

The popular checked steens are selling for nineteen cents a yard. This price buys the mercurized quality that looks like silk when new. A few gowns of this steen have been made up with yokes of allover embroidery and others have pipings of a plain color to match the check.

A charming blue lawn with self stripes is only ten cents a yard. To secure the best effect it should be made over a plain blue lining.

There is no end to the demand for embroidered flouncing, which will be used extensively in the trimming of white wash gowns. Lovely Swiss flouncing may be had for twenty-five cents a yard. Since the triple skirts have come into favor the flouncings have assumed a new importance. Three flounces of embroidery make a charming skirt and is not beyond the ability of the home dress-maker.

White mohair a yard wide sells for fifty cents a yard. The better, wider grades bring \$1.

Brown half shoes of suede are \$5. They are quite pretty enough to compensate for the price.

There are women who like white hose for house wear with slippers and they can buy lovely patterns.

There is no prettier turn-over than the sheer drawn work linen band, which sell for twenty-five cents. In sets, including collar and cuffs, the price is seventy-five cents.

The mercurized waistings are more beautiful than the manufacturers have ever before turned out. For fifty cents a yard there is a wide range of choice. The polka dotted ones are mercurized to such a high finish that they look like the wash silks.

A white wash silk lingerie waist is considered indispensable. This waist has taken on new beauty and popularity and can be bought ready to wear. Those made to order are less fanciful than the shop bodices.

The organdies are exquisite. They are sheer and patterned in charming designs. One woman who fell a victim to the charm of a yellow rose pattern declares she never had such an attractive gown.

The rajah silks are enjoying an immense sale. Rajah is only another name for pongee. It is a pongee of a finer quality than heretofore, however, and it merits all the praise that is being bestowed on it. For a shirt waist suit it is about the most desirable silk that can be found. The prices are from eighty-nine cents to \$2.50.

## SATOLLI COUNCIL

**Closes Its Successful Membership Contest and Starts Another.**

The meeting of Satolli Council, Y. M. I., held last Monday evening, brought to a close one of the most successful membership contests ever conducted in the history of that organization. The winning side, under Capt. Ed Pope, landed nine new members, while the losing team, under Capt. Harry Colgan, actually landed seven members, and had the initiation fee of the eighth, who was prevented by illness from attending on Monday night. Each side had several more candidates, but the contest only included those actually received into the council up to and including last Monday evening. As a result the losing team will have to pay the expenses of a public reception to be given by the members to their friends at the council rooms on the evening of May 8.

The increase in membership, however, will be steadily pushed by the council, one application having been received on Monday evening, in addition to which a new contest has been arranged between the following teams:

Progressives—William P. McDonogh, George Zorn, Edward I. Pope, George Eady, Edward L. Streicher, F. Luchert, Richard Mulloy.

Conservatives—James Perry, James M. Toner, James Scally, Edward Clem, Joseph T. Kelly, Ollie Crush, F. Meagher. The contest will close on August 1, losing side to pay the expenses of a reception to the members and friends. As this contest will embrace a great many of the new members, it is expected a hot pace will be developed by the respective teams. Arrangements were also made to commemorate the anniversary of the founding of the council. This will be done the latter part of next month.

The Real Estate Committee had no report to make, but are still actively engaged in their particular line.

## LAFAYETTE COUNCIL

**Preparing For Entertainment of Kentucky Jurisdiction Convention.**

Lafayette Council, Y. M. I., of Newport, has decided not to give a moonlight excursion this season, according to the Telegraph, owing to the coming of the Grand Council convention, which convenes in that city early in August. The various committees are busy preparing the sundry entertainments for the delegates and visitors to the convention, and it goes without saying that they will be royally entertained and will return to

their homes cherishing fond memories of the eighth Grand Council convention of the Kentucky Jurisdiction.

Lafayette Council and other Catholic societies in Campbell and Kenton counties have organized the Tri-City League, with six ball teams. The East Newport ball park has been secured for the entire season, and the first game will be played Sunday morning, May 7. It is predicted that the team that beats Lafayette will win the pennant.

## SUPREME TRUSTEE

**Joe McGinn Has Cheering Words For Catholic Knights.**

Joseph P. McGinn, Supreme Trustee of the Catholic Knights of America, will leave tomorrow for St. Louis to attend the annual meeting of the Supreme Council that will precede the national convention, which will be the largest and most successful ever held. Trustee McGinn says the uninsured, which consti-



tutes no small number, will hear some practical and timely suggestions from the national convention that ought to have the effect of bringing into the Catholic Knights a large number of young and middle-aged men now without life insurance. Secular societies have diverted considerable of this class, and in the membership of these societies are many Catholics. It is inconceivable how a person desiring first-class protection can pass by the Knights. They are not giving policies away, to be sure, but they require premiums that will insure the stability of the organization. Other insurance societies may offer lower rates, but these financials will eventually be undermined unless they increase the rate.

It is to be hoped Trustee McGinn's wise and encouraging words will fall upon fruitful ground and that they will not go in one ear and out of the other. He has been an indefatigable worker in the Catholic Knights since the foundation of the order, and Kentucky wants him continued as Supreme Trustee.

## TOTAL ABSTINENCE.

**The Wonderful Success of Father Hays in Australia.**

Father Hays, who has had wonderful success in England and Ireland as a promoter of total abstinence, is having a more wonderful career in Australia. He had not been a month in Australia when he received 15,835 pledges. On his way to the various cities and towns he was met at the railway stations by great crowds of people, including priests and Protestant ministers, who welcomed him to Australia and wished his work God-speed.

At Castlemaine he addressed in the new Town Hall the largest assembly ever seen in the district. Over 1,200 persons were present and hundreds were turned away from the doors. The Mayor, who presided, supported by the clergy of all denominations and all the leading townspeople, said he was delighted to see such a great audience to hear so fine a man as Father Hays, who was one of the greatest leaders against the greatest enemy that had ever threatened the manhood of the world.

At this meeting 580 persons signed the pledge. At Kyeneton another great crowd, including the Catholic, Anglican and Methodist clergy, attended the meeting and 500 persons signed.

## GOOD WISHES.

**Pope Plus X. Tells Bishop of Raphoe of His Love For Ireland.**

The Pope on April 4 received in private audience the Most Rev. P. O'Donnell, Bishop of Raphoe. The Pope expressed keen interest in the general affairs of Ireland, and said that he was pleased at the progress made and hoped the lot of the people would be improved. The Most Rev. Dr. O'Donnell said that the Irish Bishops and the Irish National party were more closely drawn together now than in former times. He added that the want of a Catholic university was keenly felt, but that every one interested in the welfare of the people was doing his best to solve the question satisfactorily. The Pontiff warmly wished Ireland every blessing and success.

## BELOVED

**Pastor of Holy Trinity Church, New Albany, Succumbs to Heart Disease.**

**Had Been Ill for Two Years But Steadfastly Attended to Duty.**

**Fellow-Citizens of all Creeds Held Him in High Esteem.**

## WILL HAVE AN IMPOSING FUNERAL

Rev. John B. Kelly, rector of Holy Trinity church, New Albany, whose serious illness has heretofore been noted in the Kentucky Irish American, died at St. Joseph's Infirmary early yesterday morning. He had been in the infirmary for two weeks, suffering from organic heart disease, but had been ill for two years. Father Kelly was one of the best beloved priests in Southern Indiana, and his death will be deeply regretted by the entire clergy of the diocese of Indianapolis. The people of his congregation will mourn his loss more than anyone else. He had been their faithful and devoted pastor for twenty-four years.

Rev. John B. Kelly was born in County Donegal, Ireland, nearly sixty years ago. He came to America in 1833 and began his classical studies at St. Thomas' Seminary, near Bardonia, this State. He completed his studies in philosophy and theology at the Grand Seminary in Montreal, Canada, and was ordained by Bishop de St. Patis at Indianapolis in 1874. His first parish was at Cambridge City, Ind., and in October, 1881, he was sent to New Albany in succession of the Rev. Father John Mouglin, who was transferred to Nashville, Tenn. By the way, Father Mouglin is still alive, and recently went to his old home in France to spend the remainder of his days.

When Father Kelly came to New Albany he found the church in debt and poorly supplied with school facilities. He built a fine brick school building in place of an old frame structure. Afterward he renovated the church and made the surrounding property very attractive. He spent in all about \$50,000 in improvements. He was a fine business man, and personally superintended all work done about the church.

Father Kelly was known all over Indiana as an uncompromising advocate of total abstinence. When he came to New Albany he organized a total abstinence society and it was at one time the largest organization of the kind in Indiana, but this ranks were thinned when a large number of the members moved to the Indiana gas belt to work in the glass works and iron works.

Father Kelly was as gentle as a woman, but as firm as a rock when he took a stand for any principle. He was kind-hearted and charitable to a high degree. Although a strong advocate of total abstinence he did not denounce men who sold or drank liquor. It was the abuse of it that he fought and labored correct in the individual, believing that a man who could not use intoxicants without danger to himself should not drink at all.

In all the civic movements for the benefit of New Albany Father Kelly took a prominent part, and he was in the highest esteem by people of all creeds, even the Protestant clergy being on excellent terms with him. His death, aside from the great loss to his congregation, is regarded by his fellow-citizens as a distinct loss to New Albany.

Father Kelly is survived by a sister, who is a member of the order of the Sisters of Providence of St. Mary's of the Woods, Indiana, and by two nieces, Misses Bridget and Maggie Kelly, who lived with him, and two brothers, who live in Pennsylvania.

The funeral will take place in New Albany and will be an imposing one, but no arrangements had been made when this was written. No death in recent years has caused such widespread sorrow in Indiana.

## WINS HIS CASE.

The case of the administrator of the late Hugh Higgins against the Prudential Insurance Company, tried Wednesday in Judge Field's court, and conducted by Attorneys Thomas Walsh and Simon Sapinsky, resulted in a unanimous verdict for the plaintiff, William M. Higgins, administrator. After a full and careful hearing before the jury nothing was plainer than that the death was accidental. Attorneys Walsh and Sapinsky have been highly complimented by the friends of the contestants for their conduct of the case, which was of much interest locally.

## HUSTLER IN TOWN.

Joseph B. Borders, a former Louisville boy, was in the city during the past week looking after his interests here. He is engaged in issuing pictorial supplements for the country newspapers, setting forth the advantages and resources of different sections of the State. Joe is doing much to further the interests of our country cousins and deserves the success that he has achieved.